The attention of the public is invited to the notification regarding the sale of tangadi and kakke barks, published on page 990, Part II of the *Mysore Gazette* No. 33, dated 20th August 1903.

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TANGADI BARK.

Notification dated 7th August 1903.

(1) Notice is hereby given that sealed tenders will be received at the office of the District Forest Officer, Chitaldrug, up to the 10th September 1903, for the purchase of the exclusive privilege of collecting tangadi (*cassia auriculata*) bark for a period of twenty-one months (from 1st October 1903 to 30th June 1905) in all Government lands including Amrut Mahal kavals and Plantations in the taluks, as well as the State Forests, noted below :—

No.	Name of Taluk or State Forest.	Remarks.
1	Harihar Sub-Taluk	The produce of Inam, Jodi, Kayamgutta, Sarvamanya, Kandayam and other lands which are in the occupancy of private individuals is not included in above.
2	Jagalur Taluk	
3	Challakere Taluk	
4	Chitaldrug Taluk	
5	Malebennur State Forest .. .	
6	Nirthadi do	
7	Jogimatti do	

(2) Tenders should specify the name of the taluk or State Forest and the price offered for each.

(3) Each tender must be accompanied by a deposit of Rs. 200 in currency notes as earnest money, in default of which, tenders will be rejected. Covers containing the tenders should be addressed to the District Forest Officer, Chitaldrug, should be duly registered, insured and superscribed "Tender for Tangadi bark."

(4) The final acceptance of any tender will rest with the Deputy Commissioner, who does not bind himself to accept the highest or any tender or to assign any reason whatever for the rejection of any tender.

(5) Tenders will be opened by the District Forest Officer in conjunction with the Deputy Commissioner or an Assistant Commissioner deputed for the purpose, in the District Office at Chitaldrug at 2 P.M., on the 12th September 1903, in presence of such of the tenderers as may be present.

(6) The acceptance of the tender will be forthwith communicated to the successful tenderer and the earnest money of the rest will be returned to them.

(7) Within three days of receipt of notice of the acceptance of the tender, the successful competitor shall credit into the Government Treasury of the taluk concerned, one-half of the total rental, including the earnest money already paid plus local cess at one anna per rupee, in default of which, the acceptance will be cancelled, the earnest money forfeited and the right re-sold.

(8) Sales effected under the above para will be at the risk of the defaulting competitor, who will forfeit all gain but in the event of a loss by the sale, shall make good the deficiency between the total amount payable by him for the whole period under the terms of the tender and the total amount payable by the successful bidder at the re-sale. If the deficit be not paid it will be recovered as a revenue demand.

(9) The successful tenderer or the lessee should work up the lease himself, and if he wishes to transfer it to others, he should obtain the sanction of the Deputy Commissioner, who will have power to insist upon the payment of a premium for granting the same.

(10) The successful tenderer or the lessee shall sign an agreement binding himself to observe the conditions herein mentioned, and it should be executed within three days from the date on which the acceptance of the tender may be intimated to him; in default, the sum already paid will be forfeited and the right sold.

(11) The balance of the lease amount and the local cess thereon shall be paid in full in three khists in advance, on the dates mentioned below, and sufficient security must be furnished for the payment of the same. Failing to remit any of the khists on the due date, the lessee shall forfeit the sum already credited and also his claims to the produce, and the balance will be recovered as a revenue demand :—

1st khist, 31st January 1904.
2nd khist, 31st May 1904.
3rd khist, 30th September 1904.